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(S) On August 11, EconOff delivered ref A non-paper to MFA Export Control Division Desk Officer Nancy Reck encouraging Germany to investigate a possible Iranian attempt to acquire German-origin specialty aluminum and titanium alloys via the UAE for their cruise and tactical missile programs. Reck said she would deliver the non-paper to the appropriate export control authorities at the German Federal Office of Economics and Export Control (BAFA) and report back any findings. Post will report any substantive German response septel.

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